

## TRANSFER OF HOSPITAL PROPERTY TO BE MADE

Will Bring New Institution Up to Standard of Any in Country

THE T. J. ALLEN PLACE

Recently Purchased by Hospital Association—Will Have Forty Beds

Tomorrow the transfer of the property at Allenwood, which was recently purchased by the Monessen Hospital Association, will be made. Mr. Allen, the proprietor vacating and the association taking possession. From this date will be the formal opening of the hospital.

The hospital will be well stocked, and is expected to prove one of the best in situations of the kind in the valley.

The names of the superintendent and the matron have not been public as yet, but they will be people who have had much experience, and who it is thought will help to fill up the place. The directors are composed of the leading physicians of Monessen, and one or two from Charleroi.

There will be forty beds for the present, together with the full hospital equipment, including the operating room. It is understood that there are patients already that were desirous of taking treatment.

It is thought that the hospital will prove a great thing for the valley, for persons injured in the mines nearby or those who become sick and have to be taken to some institution can easily be removed to this place instead of the trip to Pittsburgh or Monongahela. It is hoped to bring the standard of the place up to those in other towns of a similar size. It will be as much Charleroi's as Monessen's hospital, owing to the location.

## HIGH SCHOOL IS READY FOR GAME

The high school basketball team tomorrow night at the rink will play the first Junior Lyceum team from Uniontown. It is expected that there will be a hot match as both teams are in the best of condition. The lineup of the High School team will be taken from the following: McDermott, Higgins, Jameson, Smith, Wilson, Clutter and Richey. The Uniontown lineup will be from the following: Brasius, Saunders, Mitchell, Rohrer and Maloy.

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## FEARED BREWERY WORKERS OF VALLEY MAY GO ON A STRIKE

Among some of the retail liquor dealers and brewery officials a strike is feared as the result of a dispute over the scale contract which the latter desire the workers to sign. Among the men who will go out in case of a strike will be the employees of the Charleroi Brewery of the Independent Brewery company. It is hoped that a settlement will be reached however.

The present scale which has been in effect for two years goes out of effect tomorrow. Another has been prepared and presented to the local Unions for signature, but the Unions it is understood object to certain provisions. They do not desire more wages, or better hours, having an eight hour day, but refuse to sign the contract for more than a year.

The scale as it has been presented by the officials calls for the three

years agreement to abide by the present conditions. This being one year more than the last, the brewery workers object, and refuse to consider the matter. They demand the one year scale. A meeting of the Charleroi local was held last night but nothing was done except to talk over matters. Today or tomorrow Mr. Probstle, a secretary of the executive board from Cincinnati will be in Pittsburgh and may come to Charleroi. He will hear the plea of the workers, and then hold a conference with the brewery officials in an effort to straighten things out. The matter as to whether there will or will not be a strike now hinges on his decision.

It is understood that the head men of the company are rather expecting a strike but of short duration. There would be a large number effected if a strike should be ordered.

## DAMAGE SUIT FROM CLAYSVILLE

Remittors from the prothonotary of the supreme court giving notice of the final disposition of the suits of Mrs. Caroline McKahan against the B. and O. Railroad company and of W. D. Elliott against the same company have been filed with the prothonotary of the local court. The remittors set forth that the rules to show cause why judgment in the supreme court should not be entered are made absolute and the judgments are entered accordingly.

It will be recalled that some time since the supreme court handed down decisions in these two cases reversing the judgment of the lower court. In the lower court Mrs. McKahan was awarded \$50, damages by the jury and Mr. Elliott was awarded \$250. Mrs. McKahan brought suit for damages for the death of her husband at the Bell avenue crossing, Clayville and Mr. Elliott sought damages for the loss of a horse, which the McKahan's were driving the day of the accident.

The appellate court's decision knocks out the giving of any damages to the plaintiff.

## BRAKEMAN SUES FOR BIG DAMAGES

Hayes B. DePoe, a former brakeman, has through his attorneys, John H. Murdoch and Son and Frank Ewing, entered suit against the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railway company in the Washington county courts to recover damages in the sum of \$15,000 for the loss of a leg sustained in an accident in the company's yards at Carnegie on October 1, 1907. The accident is attributed to the carelessness and negligence of the company. DePoe was a new employee and the accident occurred on the sixth day of his experience as brakeman.

The plaintiff sets forth that while setting a brake in a gondola car loaded with boiler iron the car struck other cars on the siding, and the impact caused the boiler iron to slide down upon him so as to catch his right leg and he was held in this position 45 minutes before the employees were able to remove the iron from his leg, which was so badly crushed as to necessitate amputation seven inches below the knee.

The plaintiff avers that the accident was not due to any carelessness or negligence on his part, but was due solely on the part of the company in permitting the car to be in properly loaded.

## COUNCIL TO HOLD MEETING TONIGHT

Tonight in the Borough building the council will meet to take up unfinished business for the month. Among this it is stated will be that of the examining of the list of exonerations of the tax collector.

## REMODELING AND FIXING UP STORE

Louis Beigel, the popular McKean avenue shoe dealer is remodeling the interior of his store, and fixing it up in general in preparation for a successful spring and summer trade. A new floor has been laid and carpet will be put down. The basement is being fixed up for an extra compartment, and the stock that is being carried now is nearly twice as much as that formerly.

The anniversary sale of Mr. Beigel will be on next Thursday. This will be an event of much note. Souvenirs will be given away to each visitor. Full announcement will be made in advertisements in the newspapers.

Peaslee

Word was received here yesterday of the death of Dr. J. A. Peaslee a former resident of this place at the home of his parents in Randolph, N. Y., from tuberculosis. Dr. Peaslee is well known in Charleroi. He left this place about a year ago, on account of his health, and went to Canada. He traveled later, but could not get relief and finally returned to the home of his parents. Dr. Peaslee was 29 years of age. He was in Charleroi but eight months.

## LAD STRUCK BY TROLLEY CAR

Canonsburg, March 31.—Struck by a street car and carried a distance of 200 feet on the ferry, Harry, the 2-year-old son of Henry Bissell, Sr., in a semi-conscious condition in his home on White Lawn Terrace suffering from a broken leg and severe injuries about the head. The boy's condition is considered very serious and it is feared that he has sustained a fracture of the skull although this fact cannot be determined until a thorough examination.

In order to have good, healthy, perfect digestion keep your stomach well by taking Kodol for Dyspepsia and Indigestion occasionally—just when you need it. Pleasant to take. Sold by Piper Bros. 1901f

## WILL CLEAN OUT OLD COAL SHAFT IN SEARCH OF BODY

### Examinations For Postmaster At Marianna

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on May 8 an examination will be held at Scenery Hill, Pa., for the position of fourth class postmaster at Marianna, Pa., located five miles south of Scenery Hill.

Age limit, 21 years and over on the date of the examination. Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the postoffice named above.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from Scenery Hill and Fredericktown post-offices or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington within the seven days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine the applicants.

## RAILROAD TRIES TO EJECT PEOPLE

The Wheeling, Pittsburgh and Baltimore Railroad company has through its attorneys' Melvaine and Clark, instituted ejectment proceedings against Elvira Moore and Spencer Elliott. The property in dispute is at the intersection of Wade and Moore avenues, East Washington, lying adjacent to the railroad company's right of way. On the lot is erected a two-story frame house. Elvira Moore is the reputed owner of the property and Spencer Elliott the tenant.

## WASHINGTON COUNTY MEN ON JURY

The following Washington county men have been drawn as petit jurors for the May term of the United States circuit court, which will convene May 10: T. M. Potts, D. H. Fee, H. L. Clark, Canonsburg; John McCalmont, Canonsburg; J. B. McCallister, and Joseph A. Herron, Monongahela; Rev. Robert B. Harsba, Taylorstown; Samuel G. Walker, Coal Center; E. A. Burson, Fredericktown; Henry Donehoo, Cross Creek; John M. Dunn and Harvey Burrs, Washington; C. C. Crill, Charleroi, and E. E. Tombaugh, Scenery Hill.

New Warden for Jail

Uniontown, Pa., March 31.—Eli P. Clifton has been appointed warden of the Fayette county jail to succeed John Bungard, who was suspended by the court after the recent jail investigation. Miss Besse Bungard has been appointed matron. The appointments were made by the court.

Folding Collapsible Go-Carts, sell regularly at \$6.00, \$5.00 and \$10.00 reduced to \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$3.00. Correll and Crowley, Theatre Bldg., McKean avenue. 1711f

Believed William Swihart Has Been Murdered and Body Hidden

VANISHED ON FEB. 16

No Trace Has Been Found of Man Since—Reward Still Stands

Marianna, March 31.—In hopes that the body of William Swihart, the blacksmith who disappeared from his home at this place on the night of February 16 might be found, workmen will begin in a few days to clean out an old shaft on the Barnett farm near where Swihart was last seen. The relatives of Swihart are still of the opinion that the missing man was murdered and that his body hidden by the assassins.

Since the disappearance of the man a search has been made in all sections of the county and also the adjoining counties in hopes that some trace of the man could be found. The searchers gave up active work some time ago but have since been keeping a watch for any information which might lead to a solution of the strange disappearance.

Years ago the Jones-Laughlin Steel company began operations on the Barnett farm and sank a shaft to the depth of nearly 800 feet. They then sold out to the Pittsburgh-Butte company and nothing further was done with the shaft and it was abandoned. The hole is partly filled with water and has fallen in to some extent. It is understood that Swihart was seen near this shaft the night of his disappearance. The condition of the shaft has made it unsafe to descend or even try to drag it for the body of Swihart.

If all the plans are carried out the old shaft will be cleaned out and an effort made to go to the bottom of it.

At Coyle Theatre

On April 1st at the Coyle theatre will open one of the liveliest entertainments of the burlesque-vaudeville combination as on the road this season, and if anyone in this town is in need of a cheerful place in which to enjoy a good laugh, hear the latest and most popular songs and colloquies, he may have his wish by purchasing seats for a night with Boston Belles company's latest and liveliest entertainers, be it in the opening burlesque, the choice olio, used as a middle mark between the first and last parts, or the closing burlesque in "What Joy In Joyland," which, as its name would imply, is room for fun galore. Of the half dozen specialties, two have but lately arrived from Europe, having been engaged solely for this production.

Regular Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Charleroi Merchant's Association will be held at the association rooms, Kirk and Clark building, Thursday evening, April 1, 1909, at 8:30 o'clock.

Notice to Water Consumers

Water will be shut off, April 1, '09, for the greater part of the day, of all consumers south of Second street, extending from Fallowfield avenue to Shady avenue.

1901f W. M. Darby, Supt.

Mrs. Mary Grimes of Bucyrus, Ohio, has arrived in Charleroi for a visit here with friends and relatives.




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### Local Agencies

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Olyde Collins..... Speers  
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### March 31 in History.

1814—The allies, having defeated Na-  
poleon, entered Paris.  
1827—Beethoven died, born 1770  
1850—John Caldwell Calhoun, Ameri-  
can statesman, died, born in the  
Abbeville (S. C.) district 1782.  
1906—The international conference on  
Moroccan affairs at Algiers came  
to agreement upon all points in  
dispute between Germany and  
France.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:20, rises 5:39; moon sets  
4:12 a. m.; moon's age 10 days.

### GOOD EVENING.

One can not always be a hero, but  
one can always be a man.—Goethe.

### The Improved School System

In the past three or four years  
there have been many improvements  
in the school system in Charleroi, and  
today the local schools are on a plane  
with any in the valley. With a good  
superintendent at the head and per-  
haps the best corps of teachers to  
assist him that we ever had, we can  
afford to expect much, and in the  
past our hopes for a perfect school  
system have been pretty well carried  
out.

There is one thing that will im-  
prove the system if passed, it being  
the proposed new school code. This  
code provides for a lesser number of  
school directors in some cities but in  
Charleroi would call for more.

Then the various other provisions  
as were originally intended if they  
were passed would make conditions  
much better in the schools. Owing  
to the length of the code it is im-  
possible to dwell largely upon it  
generally, but suffice it to say that it  
would please the majority of the edu-  
cational men in the smaller cities in  
Pennsylvania if passed.

Charleroi will likely lose its super-  
intendent of schools in the near fu-  
ture, and the best that we can hope is  
that a man is put in that will follow  
out his policies. Prof. Wright's work  
has been thorough and it had its good  
effect. From the recognition of his  
efforts came the election to the super-  
intendency of the schools. In placing  
him in this position the board made no  
mistake, as is now to be seen. The  
only matter over which there is regret  
is that we have to lose this popular  
and hard working man as head.

### The Indian Uprisings.

Every little once in a while the  
Indians in the South west break out  
and tear away from restraint, in an  
effort to re-establish the olden time  
barbarism, and regain their hunt-  
ing grounds. In these affairs, they  
are usually incited by some unscrupu-  
lous liquor dealer who imports too  
much firewater into their midst, se-  
cures his royalty and skips, or some  
member of the race, who aspires to  
honors, and not able to secure them

from the rulers in charge tries to in  
this way cause trouble. In such the  
Indians are always lusted, for the few  
of them cannot hope to successfully  
combat Uncle Sam, with his troops.  
But the majority of the Indians are  
becoming civilized and there are some  
smart and well educated men, today  
who proudly acknowledge themselves  
to be direct descendants of some tribe,  
which in earlier times occupied them-  
selves with the main enjoyment of  
killing off of as many white men as  
possible, and lived on the game they  
killed. But the up-to-date schools, and  
the friendly help of the white man,  
has brought them up to a civilization  
equal with the pale face himself.  
The present uprising out west seems  
to be due to the devilishness of one  
half breed who should be in jail. He  
has stirred the tribe of Creeks with  
oratory and led them to the slaughter,  
allowing them to entertain the light  
hope that they will be able to escape  
the restraining hand of Uncle Sam,  
and live thereafter in lawlessness.  
But such it cannot be. The uprising  
will be quelled, and doubtless the  
leader who deceived the members of  
his tribe, and even himself will be  
sent to prison.

### Labor Day.

It is claimed by the local miners  
that none of the towns of the valley  
can afford as big a time on April 1st  
at the celebration of the anniversary  
of the eight-hour day as Charleroi,  
and with some truth. It is a fact that  
this place entertained the miners three  
years ago in a better manner than  
it has been done since. The reason  
is that there are more practical min-  
ers residing in Charleroi and surround-  
ing territory, and men who understand  
and have the necessary generalship to  
carry through a fitting celebration of  
the eight-hour day than in other places  
where celebrations have been held.

April 1st is the day of days with  
the miners, it being the date when  
eleven years ago the miners triumphed  
with right, and secured the shorter  
working hours. At that time there  
were not nearly as many organized  
bodies as there are now and the trouble  
between the operators and miners  
doubtless was greater.

### Opium Barred

After April first next, neither  
opium nor any mixture or compound  
containing or representing opium in  
any form can legally be brought into  
the United States or any of its out-  
lying possessions except for strictly  
medical purposes. Carrying into  
effect a law passed at the last session  
of congress the secretary of the  
treasury has issued regulations in  
which it is declared that the term  
"opium" shall cover all of its forms,  
including alkaloids.

Smoking opium will be seized forth-  
with and destroyed as an illegal im-  
portation.

### The Prayer Chain.

That prayer chain is still in evi-  
dence. The latest place for it to  
make its appearance is in New Jersey.  
Bishop Lawrence, of Massachusetts,  
who is reputed to be the author of the  
prayer was written to relative to it  
and has replied expressing the hope  
that all who receive a copy of the  
prayer ascribed to him, will destroy  
it at once. They should go a long  
way toward putting a stop to this  
"endless chain" nuisance.

### Electric Sparks

Another reassuring thought is that  
Nick Longworth still paces the deck  
of the old ship of state.

The careers of Cortelyou and Loeb  
are full of encouragement for Private  
Secretary Carpenter.

A pretty woman can find friends  
with her eyes shut and hold them by  
keeping her mouth shut.

Save your old wastebaskets. A  
little trimming will convert them into  
fashionable spring hats.

Honest, now, girls—no joking—hon-  
est Injun—what is your own private  
opinion of the new soup bowl hat?

Difficult as a revision of the tariff  
may be, it is a less formidable propo-  
sition than a revision of the rules.

Many a fellow who always says  
what he thinks hasn't a very exten-  
sive vocabulary.

The chief difference between some  
hotels rooms, and a prison cell is

that one is locked from the inside to  
keep people out and the other is locked  
from the outside to keep people in.

Speaker Cannon is now the happy  
owner of an automobile. The insur-  
gents would do well not to get in his  
way.

Straw hats on the boardwalk at  
Atlantic city are suggestive of sum-  
mer, but they won't bring June any  
sooner.

Mexico plays the stronger hand.  
She is building trading vessels instead  
of warships with which to deal with  
Japan.

Literature reeks with contempt for  
"gold," but since money has made  
its mark, not much literature has sur-  
vived.

If the private privilege of kissing  
heroines goes with the Speaker's  
office it is easy to understand why so  
many wanted the place.

The population of Georgia will  
never reach its natural greatness if  
the kjo-folks in the state do not stop  
shooting and stabbing each other.

If there is any baseball manager  
who hasn't claimed the 1909 pennant  
before this must be some amateur  
who has no business in the game.

Judge Parker despairs of the re-  
public. He doesn't think that this  
Congress will establish free trade.  
He is right in that respect, at least.

Judging from the reports from the  
southern training quarters, eight  
teams have already won the pennant  
in the American league race.

The war of opposing interests over  
the tariff is on, and the only certainty  
as to the end, whatever it may be, is  
that the consumer will have to foot  
the bills.

Even when he slides for the bag  
head first the baseball player may be  
a backslider.

Many a young couple agree to marry  
and that's the last thing they do  
agree upon.

Perhaps it was better to have loved  
and lost before the days of alimony  
and breach of promise suits.

Lots of people who boast that they  
are in the swim have a hard job to  
keep their head above water.

A Manayunk fellow hugged his girl  
so hard the other night that he broke  
his arm. She must be trying to break  
him gradually.

## THE PUBLIC BENEFITTED

Charleroi People Greatly Interested In  
The Generous Offer of  
John W. Carroll.

The people have already demon-  
strated that they would rather trust a  
man who is naturally honest, than one  
who was honest only because he had  
to be. John W. Carroll has a firmly  
established reputation for square  
dealing and sterling honesty. When  
they told the people that Rexall Rem-  
edies are the purest and most depend-  
able remedies that it is possible for  
modern science to produce, and that  
they would tell the public exactly  
what each one of these 300 remedies  
contained, and that they sold Rexall  
Remedies on their own personal guar-  
antee that they would give entire sat-  
isfaction or the medicine would not  
cost the user a single cent, they were  
believed.

Ever since this announcement the  
stores of John W. Carroll has been  
crowded by people buying Rexall  
Remedies; all of which proves that  
John W. Carroll has the confidence  
of the people and that honesty is the  
best policy.

There is no "cure-all" among the  
Rexall Remedies,—there are 300  
different and separate medicines; one  
for each human ill, and each unques-  
tionably the best of its kind.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are par-  
ticularly recommended for the posi-  
tive cure of stomach irritation, indi-  
gestion and dyspepsia. They are rich  
in Bismuth, Subnitrate, Pepsin and  
Carmenatives, and are prepared by a  
special process which perfects and  
enhances the great curative value of  
these well-known medicinal agents.  
This remedy sells for 25c a package.  
Everyone suffering from a stomach  
disorder should try Rexall Dyspepsia  
Tablets, inasmuch as they cost nothing  
if they do not satisfy.

John W. Carroll has certainly been  
fortunate in securing control of the  
sale of these remedies, and we urge  
everyone in need of medicine to in-  
vestigate and take advantage of their  
frank and generous offer.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills  
are unequalled for weak kidneys, back-  
ache, inflammation of the bladder and  
all urinary disorders. They are anti-  
septic. Sold by Piper Bros. eod

## SCHOOL NOTES

Tidbits of News from the Seat of  
Learning—Edited by Supt.  
of Schools, W. D. Wright.

Rehearsals for the pretty operatta,  
"Lilputians in Fairyland," are  
progressing nicely under the careful  
direction of Prof. Sloane. Don't  
forget the time and the purpose of the  
entertainment.

We need about fifty more boys and  
girls for parts in the "Lilputians."  
None but good singers need apply.

Prof. Sloane's mother is visiting at  
his home.

Miss Bertha Hawthorne teacher of  
No. 5 at the Crest Ave. school is at  
home trying to free herself from a bad  
cold.

County Superintendent Cramrine  
spent Monday evening in our city.

Some of the teachers are talking  
about going out for wild flowers.  
Better wait for the south wind.

He who lives "best" is the best  
educated person in Charleroi. Is this  
the highest aim of the public? What  
matters it whether a child has read  
the fourth reader or not if he can read  
the fifth equally well? Why should  
he be compelled to spend two years in  
common and decimal fractions if he  
can master them in one? What  
difference does it make whether he can  
name all the reptiles of South Amer-  
ica, or all the native tribes of the  
Philippines, provided he has a practical  
knowledge of the affairs of every day  
life? Our standards are wrong, and  
these have produced wrong teaching.  
There must be less teaching for ex-  
aminations and higher schools and  
more teaching for life. There must be  
more concern about developing  
power and less ambition to cover pages  
in the text book. The teaching of  
every day should be inspired by that  
day's needs, the child's needs, and the  
needs of society. Every true teacher  
should know these. Have a complete  
knowledge of child life, and a thor-  
ough apprehension of true educational  
ard. It seems to me that educators  
of today are putting the "cart before  
the horse" in the matter of promotion  
requirements. When a child comes  
up for promotion the all important  
question is "Have you done such and  
such work?" not are you able to do so  
and so. The only question that should  
be asked is "Can this child do the  
work in this advanced step." If he  
can is it fair to the child to keep  
him back another term because by  
some unexplainable turn of circum-  
stances he has failed to make a pass-  
ing grade in the last examination.  
What is the difference whether the  
child has covered a fixed amount of  
subject matter mechanically in the  
schoolroom or not, or whether he has  
spent a prescribed number of weeks,  
months, or years in the study of any  
particular subject. I have often said  
that there are more things wrong with  
the public schools than teachers who  
are "hooked" by would-be critics,  
and here is one of the most serious  
faults. Who is responsible in this  
matter? The answer is, the organizers  
of the system, the law makers. We  
have hoped for great improvements  
along these lines in our state by the  
passage of the New School Code, but  
we shall take what Pittsburgh and  
Philadelphia politicians see fit to give  
us in this matter. Hope on.

When you travel, keep track of  
HARPER signs. You will find Har-  
per whiskey on sale in practically  
every town, city and village where  
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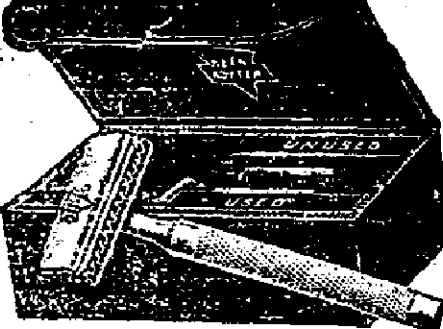
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## READ THE MAIL

### EPIGRAMS OF A QUEEN.

Witticisms of Marie Leczinska, the  
Wife of Louis XV.

The wife of Louis the Well Beloved  
had more need than most of the con-  
solations of wisdom and philosophy.  
That she possessed them both in a  
marked degree is quite evident. "To  
great goodness Marie Leczinska joined  
solid information," says Imbert de  
Saint-Amand in "The Court of Louis  
XV." "She knew six languages—Pol-  
ish, French, Italian, German, Swedish,  
Latin. Men of letters were struck by  
the shrewdness of her judgment on  
things of the mind. Several of her  
maxims have been preserved, which  
attest a lofty soul and a profound  
knowledge of the human heart. Here  
are some of them: 'We ought not to  
reflect more on the faults of others  
than will suffice to preserve ourselves  
from them.' 'Human wisdom teaches  
us to conceal our pride; religion alone  
destroys it.' 'To live peaceably in so-  
ciety we must open our eyes to the  
qualities which please us and shut  
them on the follies and caprices which  
shock us.' 'The women who pique  
themselves most on knowing what it  
is allowable for them to be ignorant of  
are those who care least about instruct-  
ing themselves concerning what it is  
shameful not to know.' 'Many princes  
have regretted when dying that they  
had made war; we never see any who  
repented of having loved peace.' 'Good  
kings are slaves, and their people are  
free.' 'The only thing which can make  
amends for the slavery of the throne is  
the pleasure of doing some good.' 'In  
politics, as in morals, the shortest way  
to make men happy is to endeavor to  
make them virtuous.'"

### WOMAN WHO WOULDN'T.

Idiotic Feminine Pose That Altogether  
Lacks Sense.

If some women and girls can't be  
great martyrs and are denied the ex-  
cited joy of being burned at the stake  
or otherwise sacrificed, they do not in-  
tend to blush unseen nevertheless.  
They fix up their own little role of  
martyrdom and play it to the bitter  
end—bitter, that is, to those who have  
to listen to tales of it, for, be it known,  
the role is milk and honey to whoever  
plays it.

As a rule, the feminine martyr starts  
in to do good to some one near and  
dear to her. So far so good. That  
surely is something to admire. But it's  
the way she goes about it. Perhaps  
it's a young brother that she's support-  
ing. She assures you she could not  
earn money for herself; it's only for  
love of him, and that in face of the  
fact that she owns no property and  
hasn't a penny of income. Could any-  
thing be sillier or weaker or more  
puerile? How else would she live?

Another type, better off in worldly  
goods, declares that she wears pretty  
clothes only to please her children or  
her father or her friend. Why apolo-  
gize? Very likely she does not make  
herself dangerously lovely, after all.  
Another enjoys a good table because  
her husband likes good things to eat.  
Again, why apologize? As well apolo-  
gize for being respectable or having a  
little sense.

This being interesting, or at least in  
the limelight at all costs, is tiresome.

### Playing Greenhorn.

"Why did you tell the manager of  
that employment agency that you had  
just come over?" said one servant girl  
to another. "You didn't, you know.  
You have had three situations in New  
York."

"I know that," said the girl. "I pre-  
tended to be green so she would try  
harder to get me a good place. At  
most of these agencies the managers  
have green girls on their conscience.  
The sharks in the business, of course,  
will fleece them, but the average man-  
ager is sympathetic and gets them easy  
places to start with. I'll have a snap  
where I am going. The woman thinks  
I have just arrived and that she will  
have to break me in. Breaking in  
means that she will do half the work,  
while I will just stand around and  
look on. It pays sometimes to be a  
greenhorn."—Philadelphia Ledger.

### Would Take Chances.

Mr. Philanthropist was passing a  
bakery when he observed a little girl  
gazing with longing eyes at some  
cakes displayed in the window. The  
youngster's wistful gaze was too much  
for Mr. Philanthropist, so he took im-  
mediate measures to satisfy her long-  
ing.

When she had in short order dis-  
posed of a rich bit of pastry she calm-  
ly asked for another.

"I should like very much to give you  
another," said the kindly man, "but  
I'm afraid it would make you sick."  
"Get it for me anyhow," quickly re-  
sponded the little girl. "I can get all  
the medicine I need at the dispensary  
for nuthin'!"—New York Herald.

### A Dangerous Place.

The two tramps had been particu-  
larly lucky, and, having funds in hand,  
they discussed plans for the night's  
shelter. "We can sleep under a roof  
if we like," said Wiggins.

"Sure we can," responded Hig-  
gins, "but some way these lodging houses  
make me nervous. Supposing there  
was to break out in the night?"

"You've got it right," agreed Wig-  
gins dolefully. "It's no place for us.  
They'd turn the hose on us in a min-  
ute!"—Youth's Companion.

### Cynical.

A Chicago professor says, "The man  
who never pays over cash fare, who  
never scans the prices on a menu and  
who hibernates when he's broke car-  
ries an inflexible attitude against fem-  
inine criticism."—Kansas City Star.

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The couple will not take any trip at present, but will reside at the home of the bride's parents.

Both are well known in Charleroi. Mr. Michener is employed at the Tube mills in Monessen. The happy couple are tendered the best wishes of a host of friends.

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## Personal Mention

James Gelder is transacting business today in Pittsburg.

Mrs. S. R. Collins is in Pittsburg today transacting business.

Miss Clara Frye is spending the day in Donora with friends.

Miss Lulu True has returned from Pittsburg where she spent a week with friends.

Mrs. Jennie Jolliffe of Fallowfield township left yesterday for New Mexico, where he will spend a few weeks, after which he will leave for Alaska, where he will be employed.

Charles Rodgers of Fallowfield township left yesterday for New Mexico, where he will spend a few weeks, after which he will leave for Alaska, where he will be employed.

W. A. Gilleland of Wilkinsburg, is in Charleroi the guest of friends.

Miss Elsie Crill is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Miss Lois Darby is in Pittsburg today visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles H. Wilson, of Fairchance, who is a patient in the West Penn hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Van Voorhis returned today from a stay of several weeks in Orlando, and other points in Florida.

W. G. Sharpnack of Rices Landing was a guest of his brother, S. W. Sharpnack of Washington avenue yesterday going on to Pittsburg today to attend the automobile show.

## THE OLD MASTERS.

How Modern Artists Make a New Painting an Antique.

Europe is full of artists who, as far as line and color go, can turn admirable copies of anything. These copies are made on old canvases, mounted on a framework of old wood, and when the paint is dry the picture is put through an ingenious aging process. A certain kind of varnish gives a ripe golden tone, and deepening of shadows, with a suggestion of the soil of centuries, is had by the smearing of licorice juice. As for the cracked paint surface—sure sign of age—that is obtained by baking the picture carefully in an oven and by laying a plaque of metal on the canvas and striking it gently with a hammer. Worm holes in frame or panels are merely a matter of fine shot fired in and afterward picked out. And fly specks to deceive the flies themselves may be had by the judicious spatter of India ink.

No doubt the spare connoisseur there is something hard and cold about the copies, something vaguely unsatisfying, but no one can deny that they are enormously like the originals—so much like them that the great museums of Europe, all unsuspecting, have hung their walls with these mellow masterpieces of yesterday. It is said, for instance, that Rembrandt's portrait of Subeski in the Louvre is not the original at all, but only a copy, the original being in Russia.—Cleveland Moffett in Success.

## ANOTHER WORLD.

This Charming Bit of Philosophy Points the Road to It.

I live in two worlds—one in which I must consider the weather and clothes and meals and bills coming due and a host of duties and obligations, some of which weary me. It isn't really a bad world, and I haven't much to complain of it. It is comparatively a poor world however, when set against that other world into which I retire with every opportunity—the glorious, free and perfect world of my imagination. The common world, the world of meals and clothes and weather, I share with everybody. No preference or special consideration is given to me. I often get a kick or a cuff that I despise, even though I know that I earned it. But the other world is all my own. I am its creator, king and master. Nothing happens in it that does not please me; nothing exists without my consent. It revolves around me. I am its sun and center; all else is subordinate. There is no order, system or law in it that gives me the slightest trouble, for I alter, change or abolish these at my pleasure. Of course I escape whenever I can from the common everyday world in which I am so insignificant into the world which is wholly my own.—Orlando Jay Smith.

## Syringe Clearing Firemen.

A studious fireman looked up from his book.

"In place of all these here electric engines, automatic chutes and so on," he said, "the only instrument they had to fight fire with in the seventeenth century was the syringe. Under the roof of every building that they thought worth saving—like cathedrals and such—there were big tanks to catch the rainwater, and beside each tank hung a syringe a yard long. Then when a fire came—squirrel, squirt, they went with their syringes, and the building quickly burned down to the ground."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

## Power of the Will.

"I've just been reading about the power of the will. It's a wonderful thing."

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The hospital will be well stocked, and is expected to prove one of the best in situations of the kind in the valley.

The names of the superintendent and the matron have not been public as yet, but they will be people who have had much experience, and who it is thought will help to build up the place. The directors are composed of the leading physicians of Monessen, and one or two from Charleroi.

There will be forty beds for the present, together with the full hospital equipment, including the operating room. It is understood that there are patients already that were desirous of taking treatment.

It is thought that the hospital will prove a great thing for the valley, for persons injured in the mines nearby or those who become sick and have to be taken to some institution can easily be removed to this place instead of the trip to Pittsburgh or Monongahela. It is hoped to bring the standard of the place up to those in other towns of a similar size. It will be as much Charleroi's as Monessen's hospital, owing to the location.

## HIGH SCHOOL IS READY FOR GAME

The high school basketball tomorrow night at the rink will play the first Junior Lyceum team from Uniontown. It is expected that there will be a hot match as both teams are in the best of condition. The lineup of the High School team will be taken from the following: McDermott, Riggs, Jameson, Smith, Wilson, Clutter and Richey. The Uniontown lineup will be from the following: Biossis, Saunders, Mitchell, Robire and Maloy.

See Them in our Show Window.

For a leader we offer a four piece sofa quartered oak Bed Room Suite including bed, dresser, chair, and wash stand worth \$75.00 for only \$60.00. By a special arrangement with the manufacturers we are able to give you this great bargain, but we were only able to get a limited number and we advise you to come early if you want a bargain. Correll and Crowley, Corle theatre building, McKean avenue.

Kodol for Dyspepsia and indigestion will digest any kind of food in any combination at any and all times. Keep your stomach well by taking Kodol now and then. Sold by Piper Bros.

J. E. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Roach, Cashier.

## Wise is the Woman Who Pays by Check

Women in all walks of life should consider the prudence of paying by check. It is the safest way, besides so convenient and such a saving of time. We cordially invite you to open an account subject to check.

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## THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Charleroi, Pa.

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## FEARED BREWERY WORKERS OF VALLEY MAY GO ON A STRIKE

Among some of the retail liquor dealers and brewery officials a strike is feared as the result of a dispute over the scale contract which the latter desire the workers to sign. Among the men who will go out in case of a strike will be the employees of the Charleroi Brewery of the Independent Brewery company. It is hoped that a settlement will be reached however.

The present scale which has been in effect for two years goes out of effect tomorrow. Another has been prepared and presented to the local Unions for signature, but the Unions it is understood object to certain provisions. They do not desire more wages, or better hours, having an eight hour day, but refuse to sign the contract for more than a year.

The scale as it has been presented by the officials calls for the three

years agreement to abide by the present conditions. This being one year more than the last, the brewery workers object, and refuse to consider the matter. They demand the one year scale. A meeting of the Charleroi local was held last night but nothing was done except to talk over matters. Today or tomorrow Mr. Probstle, a secretary of the executive board from Cincinnati will be in Pittsburgh and may come to Charleroi. He will hear the plea of the workers, and then hold a conference with the brewery officials in an effort to straighten things out. The matter as to whether there will or will not be a strike now hinges on his decision.

It is understood that the head men of the company are rather expecting a strike but of short duration. There would be a large number effected if a strike should be ordered.

## DAMAGE SUIT FROM CLAYSVILLE

Remitters from the prothonotary of the supreme court giving notice of the final disposition of the suits of Mrs. Caroline McKahan against the B. and O. Railroad company and of W. D. Elliott against the same company have been filed with the prothonotary of the local court. The remitters set forth that the rules to show cause why judgment in the supreme court should not be entered are made absolute and the judgments are entered accordingly.

It will be recalled that some time since the supreme court handed down decisions in these two cases reversing the judgment of the lower court. In the lower court Mrs. McKahan was awarded \$50. damages by the jury and Mr. Elliott was awarded \$250. Mrs. McKahan brought suit for damages for the death of her husband at the Bell avenue crossing, Clayville and Mr. Elliott sought damages for the loss of a horse, which the McKahan's were driving the day of the accident. The appellate court's decision knocks out the giving of any damages to the plaintiff.

## WATCH STOPS BULLET AND SAVES LIFE

Midway, March 31.—A large watch carried in his vest pocket probably saved William Cummins, a blacksmith of this place, from instant death at the hands of a burglar who fired on Cummins when interrupted in his attempt to force an entrance in the Cummins dwelling. The bullet from the burglar's revolver struck the time piece, painfully bruising Cummins, but causing no serious injury. The thief escaped.

About 10 o'clock last night as Cummins was returning home from a nearby store he heard a noise apparently coming from the side of the house. He stepped around the corner and saw a man at work on the side door. Seeing Cummins the burglar dropped the "jimmy" he had in his hand and drawing a revolver fired point blank. Cummins drew his weapon at almost the same instant and the two reports rang out so close together that people in the neighborhood thought but one shot had been fired.

Cummins was stunned but recovered unharmed.

## LAD STRUCK BY TROLLEY CAR

Canonsburg, March 31.—Struck by a street car and carried a distance of 200 feet on the fender, Harry, the 8-year-old son of Harry Bissell, Sr., in a semi-conscious condition in his home on White Lawn Terrace suffering from a broken leg and severe injuries about the head. The boy's condition is considered very serious and it is feared that he has sustained a fracture of the skull although this fact cannot be determined until a thorough examination.

In order to have good, healthy perfect digestion keep your stomach well by taking Kodol for Dyspepsia and indigestion occasionally just when you need it. Pleasant to take. Sold by Piper Bros.

## BRAKEMAN SUES FOR BIG DAMAGES

Hayes B. DePoe, a former brakeman, has through his attorneys, John H. Murdoch and Son and Frank Ewing, entered suit against the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railway company in the Washington county courts to recover damages in the sum of \$15,000 for the loss of a leg sustained in an accident in the company's yards at Carnegie on October 1, 1907. The accident is attributed to the carelessness and negligence of the company. DePoe was a new employee and the accident occurred on the sixth day of his experience as brakeman.

The plaintiff sets forth that while setting a brake in a gondola car loaded with boiler iron the car struck other cars on the siding and the impact caused the boiler iron to slide down upon him so as to catch his right leg and he was held in this position 45 minutes before the employees were able to remove the iron from his leg, which was so badly crushed as to necessitate amputation seven inches below the knee.

The plaintiff avers that the accident was not due to any carelessness or negligence on his part, but was due solely on the part of the company in permitting the car to be in properly loaded.

## COUNCIL TO HOLD MEETING TONIGHT

Tonight in the Beroueh building the council will meet to take up unfinished business for the month. Among this it is stated will be that of the examining of the list of exonerations of the tax collector.

## REMODELING AND FIXING UP STORE

Louis Beigel, the popular McKean avenue shoe dealer is remodeling the interior of his store, and fixing it up in general in preparation for a successful spring and summer trade. A new floor has been laid and carpet will be put down. The basement is being fixed up for an extra compartment, and the stock that is being carried now is nearly twice as much as that formerly.

The anniversary sale of Mr. Beigel will be on next Thursday. This will be an event of much note. Souvenirs will be given away to each visitor. Full announcement will be made in advertisements in the newspapers.

Peaslee

Word was received here yesterday of the death of Dr. J. A. Peaslee, a former resident of this place at the home of his parents in Randolph, N. Y., from tuberculosis. Dr. Peaslee is well known in Charleroi. He left this place about a year ago, on account of his health, and went to Canada. He traveled later, but could not get relief and finally returned to the home of his parents. Dr. Peaslee was 29 years of age. He was in Charleroi last night.

The Women's league of the M. E. church meets at the home of Mrs. J. M. Hill, 510 Washington avenue, Thursday afternoon from 2:30 to 4 o'clock. A luncheon will be served.

## WILL CLEAN OUT OLD COAL SHAFT IN SEARCH OF BODY

## Examinations For Postmaster At Marianna

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on May 8 an examination will be held at Scenery Hill, Pa., for the position of fourth class postmaster at Marianna, Pa., located five miles south of Scenery Hill.

Age limit, 21 years and over on the date of the examination. Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the postoffice named above. The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from Scenery Hill and Fredericktown post-offices or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington within the seven days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine the applicants.

## RAILROAD TRIES TO EJECT PEOPLE

The Wheeling, Pittsburg and Baltimore Railroad company has through its attorneys, Melvaine and Clark, instituted ejectment proceedings against Elvira Moore and Spencer Elliott. The property in dispute is at the intersection of Wade and Moore avenues, East Washington, lying adjacent to the railroad company's right of way. On the lot is erected a two-story frame house. Elvira Moore is the reputed owner of the property and Spencer Elliott the tenant.

## WASHINGTON COUNTY MEN ON JURY

The following Washington county men have been drawn as petit jurors for the May term of the United States circuit court, which will convene May 10: T. M. Potts, D. H. Fee, B. L. Clark, Canonsburg; John McCalmont, Canonsburg; J. B. McCallister, and Joseph A. Herron, Monongahela; Rev. Robert B. Harsha, Taylorstown; Samuel G. Walker, Coal Center; E. A. Burson, Fredericktown; Henry Donehoo, Cross Creek; John M. Dunn and Harvey Burns, Washington; C. C. Crill, Charleroi, and E. E. Tombaugh, Scenery Hill.

New Warden for Jail

Uniontown, Pa., March 31.—Eli P. Clifton has been appointed warden of the Fayette county jail to succeed John Bongard, who was suspended by the court after the recent jail investigation. Miss Bessie Bongard has been appointed matron. The appointments were made by the court.

Folding Collapsible Go-Carts, sell regularly at \$6.00, \$8.00 and \$10.00 reduced to \$4.00, \$6.00 and \$8.00. Correll and Crowley, Theatre Bldg., McKean avenue.

171st

Believed William Swihart Has  
Been Murdered and  
Body Hidden

## VANISHED ON FEB. 16

No Trace Has Been Found of  
Man Since Edward  
Still Stands

Marianna, March 31.—In hopes that the body of William Swihart, the blacksmith who disappeared from his home at this place on the night of February 16 might be found, workmen will begin in a few days to clean out an old shaft on the Barnett farm near where Swihart was last seen. The relatives of Swihart are still of the opinion that the missing man was murdered and that his body hidden by the assassins.

Since the disappearance of the man a search has been made in all sections of the county and also the adjoining counties in hopes that some trace of the man could be found. The searchers gave up active work some time ago but have since been keeping a watch for any information which might lead to a solution of the strange disappearance.

Years ago the Jones-Laughlin Steel company began operations on the Barnett farm and sank a shaft to the depth of nearly 50 feet. They then sold out to the Pittsburg-Buffalo company and nothing further was done with the shaft and it was abandoned. The hole is partly filled with water and has fallen in to some extent. It is understood that Swihart was seen near this shaft the night of his disappearance. The condition of the shaft has made it unsafe to descend on even try to drag it for the body of Swihart.

If all the plans are carried out the old shaft will be cleaned out and an effort made to go to the bottom of it.

At Coyle Theatre

On April 1st at the Coyle theatre will open one of the liveliest entertainments of the burlesque-vaudeville combination as on the road this season, and if anyone in this town is in need of a cheerful place in which to enjoy

a good laugh, here is the latest and most popular song and colloquies, he may have his wish by purchasing seats for a night with Boston Belles company's latest and liveliest entertainers, be it in the opening burlesque, the choice olio, used as a middle mark between the first and last parts, or the closing burlesque in "What Joy in Joyland," which, as its name would imply, is a room for fun galore. Of the half dozen specialties, two have but lately arrived from Europe, having been engaged solely for this production.

Regular Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Charleroi Merchant's Association will be held at the association rooms, Kirk and Clark building, Thursday evening, April 1, 1909, at 8:30 o'clock.

Notice to Water Consumers

Water will be shut off, April 1, '09, for the greater part of the day, of all consumers south of Second street, extending from Fallowfield avenue to Shady avenue.

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W. M. Darby, Supt.

Mrs. Mary Grimes of Bucyrus, Ohio, has arrived in Charleroi for a visit here with friends and relatives.

## WILSTA EYE GLASSES



THE BEST MOUNTING TO HOLD CORRECT LENSES  
IN THE PROPER POSITION

WHY GOOD ARE GLASSES?

What a relief to know that good glasses would do you any good. The point you want to know is how they will do you only come in and see us. We'll show you. CHARLEROI PHONE 148  
JOHN B. SCHAFER, MANUFACTURING JEWELER



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A subscription payable in advance.  
Delivered by carrier in Charleroi at six  
cents per week.

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must invariably bear the author's signature.

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Association

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resolutions of respect, cards of  
thanks, etc., 5 cents per line.

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that in settlement of estates, public  
sales, fire stock and estray notices,  
bank notices, notices to teachers, 15  
cents per line, first insertion; 5 cents  
a line, each additional insertion.

### Local Agencies

Geo. S. Micht..... Charleroi  
Olyde Collins..... Speers  
M. Doolery..... Dunlevy  
J. A. Mason..... Lock No. 4, Pa.

### March 31 In History.

1814—The allies, having defeated Na-  
poleon, entered Paris.  
1827—Beethoven died; born 1770.  
1850—John Caldwell Calhoun, Ameri-  
can statesman, died; born in the  
Albany (S. C.) district 1782.  
1901—The international conference on  
Moroccan affairs at Algiers came  
to agreement upon all points in  
dispute between Germany and  
France.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:20, rises 5:39; moon sets  
4:12 a. m.; moon's age 10 days.

### GOOD EVENING.

One can not always be a hero, but  
one can always be a man.—Goethe.

### The Improved School System

In the past three or four years  
there have been many improvements  
in the school system in Charleroi, and  
today the local schools are on a plane  
with any in the valley. With a good  
superintendent at the head and per-  
haps the best corps of teachers to  
assist him that we ever had, we can  
afford to expect much, and in the  
past our hopes for a perfect school  
system have been pretty well carried  
out.

There is one thing that will im-  
prove the system if passed, it being  
the proposed new school code. This  
code provides for a lesser number of  
school directors in some cities but in  
Charleroi would call for more.

Then the various other provisions  
as were originally intended if they  
were passed would make conditions  
much better in the schools. Owing  
to the length of the code it is im-  
possible to dwell largely upon it  
generally, but suffice it to say that it  
would please the majority of the edu-  
cational men in the smaller cities in  
Pennsylvania if passed.

Charleroi will likely lose its super-  
intendent of schools in the near fu-  
ture, and the best that we can hope is  
that a man is put in that will follow  
out his policies. Prof. Wright's work  
has been thorough and it had its good  
effect. From the recognition of his  
efforts came the election to the super-  
intendency of the schools. In placing  
him in this position the board made no  
mistake, as is now to be seen. The  
only matter over which there is regret  
is that we have to lose this popular  
and hard working man as head.

### The Indian Uprisings.

Every little once in a while the  
Indians in the South west break out  
and tear away from restraint, in an  
effort to re-establish the olden time  
ways. In these affairs, they are  
usually incited by some unscrupu-  
lous liquor dealer who imports too  
much whiskey into their midst, se-  
cures his royalty and skins, or some  
member of the race who aspires to  
honor and not able to secure them

from the rulers in charge tries to in  
this way cause trouble. In such the  
Indians are always lusted, for the few  
of them cannot hope to successfully  
But the majority of the Indians are  
becoming civilized and there are some  
smart and well educated men, today  
who proudly acknowledge themselves  
to be direct descendants of some tribe,  
which in earlier times occupied them-  
selves with the main enjoyment of  
killing off of as many white men as  
possible, and lived on the game they  
killed. But the up-to-date schools, and  
the friendly help of the white man,  
has brought them up to a civilization  
equal with the pale face himself.  
The present uprising over west seems  
to be due to the devilishness of one  
half breed who should be in jail. He  
has stirred the tribe of Creeks with  
oratory and led them to the slaughter,  
allowing them to entertain the light  
hope that they will be able to escape  
the restraining hand of Uncle Sam,  
and live thereafter in lawlessness.  
But such it cannot be. The uprising  
will be quelled, and doubtless the  
leader who deceived the members of  
his tribe, and even himself will be  
sent to prison.

### Labor Day.

It is claimed by the local miners  
that none of the towns of the valley  
can afford as big a time on April 1st  
at the celebration of the anniversary  
of the eight-hour day as Charleroi,  
and with some truth. It is a fact that  
this place entertained the miners three  
years ago in a better manner than  
it has been done since. The reason  
is that there are more practical min-  
ers residing in Charleroi and surround-  
ing territory, and men who understand  
and have the necessary generalship to  
carry through a fitting celebration of  
the eight-hour day than in other places  
where celebrations have been held.

April 1st is the day of days with  
the miners, it being the date when  
eleven years ago the miners triumphed  
with night, and secured the shorter  
working hours. At that time there  
were not nearly as many organized  
bodies as there are now and the trust  
between the operators and miners  
doubtless was greater.

### Opium Barred.

After April first next, neither  
opium nor any mixture or compound  
containing or representing opium in  
any form can legally be brought into  
the United States or any of its out-  
lying possessions except for strictly  
medical purposes. Carrying into  
effect a law passed at the last session  
of congress the secretary of the  
treasury has issued regulations in  
which it is declared that the term  
"opium" shall cover all of its forms,  
including alkaloids.

Smoking opium will be seized forth-  
with and destroyed as an illegal im-  
portation.

### The Prayer Chain.

That prayer chain is still in evi-  
dence. The latest place for it to  
make its appearance is in New Jersey.  
Bishop Lawrence, of Massachusetts,  
who is reputed to be the author of the  
prayer was written to relative to it  
and has replied expressing the hope  
that all who receive a copy of the  
prayer ascribed to him, will destroy  
it at once. They should go a long  
way toward putting a stop to this  
"endless chain" nuisance.

### Electric Sparks

Another reassuring thought is that  
Nick Longworth still paces the deck  
of the old ship of state.

The careers of Cortelyou and Loeb  
are full of encouragement for Private  
Secretary Carpenter.

A pretty woman can find friends  
with her eyes shut and hold them by  
keeping her mouth shut.

Save your old wastebaskets. A  
little trimming will convert them into  
fashionable spring hats.

Honest, now, girls, joking—hon-  
est Injun—what is your own private  
opinion of the new soup bowl hat?

Difficult as a revision of the tariff  
may be, it is a less formidable propo-  
sition than a revision of the rules.

Many a fellow who always says  
what he thinks hasn't a very exten-  
sive vocabulary.

The chief difference between some  
hotels rooms, and a prison cell is

that one is locked from the inside to  
keep people out and the other is locked  
from the outside to keep people in.

Speaker Cannon is now the happy  
owner of an automobile. His in-  
vents would do well not to get in his  
way.

Straw hats on the boardwalk at  
Atlantic city are suggestive of sum-  
mer, but they won't bring June any  
sooner.

Mexico plays the stronger hand.  
She is building trading vessels instead  
of warships with which to deal with  
Japan.

Literature reeks with contempt for  
"gold," but since money has made  
its mark, not much literature has sur-  
vived.

If the privet privilege of kissing  
heroines goes with the Speaker's  
office it is easy to understand why so  
many wanted the place.

The population of Georgia will  
never reach its natural greatness if  
the big-folks in the state do not stop  
shooting and stabbing each other.

If there is any baseball manager  
who hasn't claimed the 1909 pennant  
be ore this must be some amateur  
who has no business in the game.

Judge Parker despairs of the re-  
public. He doesn't think that this  
Congress will establish free trade.  
He is right in that respect, at least.

Judging from the reports from the  
southern training quarters, eight  
teams have already won the pennant  
in the American league race.

The war of opposing interests over  
the tariff is on, and the only certainty  
as to the end, whatever it may be, is  
that the consumer will have to foot  
the bills.

Even when he slides for the bag  
head first the baseball player may be  
a backslider.

Many a young couple agree to marry  
and that's the last thing they do  
agree upon.

Perhaps it was better to have loved  
and lost before the days of alimony  
and breach of promise suits.

Lots of people who boast that they  
are in the swim have a hard job to  
keep their head above water.

A Manayunk fellow hugged his girl  
so hard the other night that he broke  
his arm. She must be trying to break  
him gradually.

## THE PUBLIC BENEFITTED

Charleroi People Greatly Interested In  
The Generous Offer of  
John W. Carroll.

The people have already demon-  
strated that they would rather trust a  
man who is naturally honest, than one  
who was honest only because he had  
to be. John W. Carroll has a firmly  
established reputation for square  
dealing and sterling honesty. When  
they told the people that Rexall Rem-  
edies are the purest and most dependa-  
ble remedies that it is possible for  
modern science to produce, and that  
they would tell the public exactly  
what each one of these 300 remedies  
contained, and that they sold Rexall  
Remedies on their own personal guar-  
antee that they would give entire sat-  
isfaction or the medicine would not  
cost the user a single cent, they were  
believed.

Ever since this announcement the  
stores of John W. Carroll has been  
crowded by people buying Rexall  
Remedies; all of which proves that  
John W. Carroll has the confidence  
of the people and that honesty is the  
best policy.

There is no "cure-all" among the  
Rexall Remedies,—there are 300  
different and separate medicines; one  
for each human ill, and each unques-  
tionably the best of its kind.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are par-  
ticularly recommended for the posi-  
tive cure of stomach irritation, indi-  
gestion and dyspepsia. They are rich  
in Bismuth, Subnitrate, Pepsin and  
Carminatives, and are prepared by a  
special process which perfects and  
enhances the great curative value of  
these well-known medicinal agents.  
This remedy sells for 25c a package.  
Everyone suffering from a stomach  
disorder should try Rexall Dyspepsia  
Tablets, inasmuch as they cost noth-  
ing if they do not satisfy.

John W. Carroll has certainly been  
fortunate in securing control of the  
sale of these remedies, and we urge  
everyone in need of medicine to in-  
vestigate and take advantage of their  
frank and generous offer.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills  
are unequalled for weak kidneys, back-  
ache, inflammation of the bladder and  
all urinary disorders. They are anti-  
septic. Sold by Piper Bros. eod

## SCHOOL NOTES

Tidbits of News from the Seat of  
Learning—Edited by Supt.  
of Schools, W. D. Wright.

Rehearsals for the pretty operetta,  
"Liliputians in Fairyland," are  
progressing nicely under the careful  
direction of Prof. Sloane. Don't  
forget the time and the purpose of the  
entertainment.

We need about fifty more boys and  
girls for parts in the "Liliputians."  
None but good singers need apply.

Prof. Sloane's mother is visiting at  
his home.

Miss Bertha Hawthorne teacher of  
No. 5 at the Crest Ave. school is at  
home trying to free herself from a bad  
cold.

County Superintendent Crumrine  
spent Monday evening in our city.

Some of the teachers are talking  
about going out for wild flowers.  
Better wait for the south wind.

He who lives "best" is the best  
educated person in Charleroi. Is this  
the highest aim of the public? What  
matters it whether a child has read  
the fourth reader or not if he can read  
the fifth equally well? Why should  
he be compelled to spend two years in  
common and decimal fractions if he  
can master them in one? What  
difference does it make whether he can  
name all the reptiles of South Ameri-  
ca, or all the native tribes of the  
Philippines, provided he has a practical  
knowledge of the affairs of every day  
life? Our standards are wrong, and  
these have produced wrong teaching.

There must be less teaching for ex-  
aminations and higher schools and  
more teaching for life. There must be  
more concern about developing  
power and less ambition to cover pages  
in the text book. The teaching of  
every day should be inspired by that  
day's needs, the child's needs, and the  
needs of society. Every true teacher  
should know these, have a complete  
knowledge of child life, and a thor-  
ough apprehension of true educational  
end. It seems to me that educators  
of today are putting the "cart before  
the horse" in the matter of promotion  
requirements. When a child comes  
up for promotion the all important  
question is "Have you done such and  
such work," not are you able to do so  
and so. The only question that should  
be asked is "Can this child do the  
work in this advanced step." If he  
can is it fair to the child to keep  
him back another term because by  
some unexplainable turn of circum-  
stances he has failed to make a pass-  
ing grade in the last examination.  
What is the difference whether the  
child has covered a fixed amount of  
subject matter mechanically in the  
schoolroom or not, or whether he has  
spent a prescribed number of weeks,  
months, or years in the study of any  
particular subject. I have often said  
that there are more things wrong with  
the public schools than teachers who  
are "backed" by would-be critics,  
and here is one of the most serious  
faults. Who is responsible in this  
matter? The answer is, the organizers  
of the system, the law makers. We  
have hoped for great improvements  
along these lines in our state by the  
passage of the New School Code, but  
we shall take what Pittsburg and  
Philadelphia politicians see fit to give  
us in this matter. Hope on.

When you travel, keep track of  
HARPER signs. You will find Har-  
per whiskey on sale in practically  
every town, city and village where  
whiskey can lawfully be sold. This  
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**EPIGRAMS OF A QUEEN.**

Witticisms of Maria Leczinska, the Wife of Louis XV.

The wife of Louis the Well-Beloved had more need than most of the consolations of wisdom and philosophy. That she possessed them both in a marked degree is quite evident. "To great goodness Maria Leczinska joined solid information," says Imbert de Saint-Amand in "The Court of Louis XV." "She knew six languages—Polish, French, Italian, German, Swedish, Latin. Men of letters were struck by the shrewdness of her judgment on things of the mind. Several of her maxims have been preserved, which attest a lofty soul and a profound knowledge of the human heart. Here are some of them: 'We ought not to reflect more on the faults of others than will suffice to preserve ourselves from them.' 'Human wisdom teaches us to conceal our pride; religion alone destroys it.' 'To live peaceably in society we must open our eyes to the qualities which please us and shut them on the follies and caprices which shock us.' 'The women who plume themselves most on knowing what it is allowable for them to be ignorant of are those who care least about instructing themselves.' 'Many princes have regretted when dying that they had made war; we never see any who repented of having loved peace.' 'Good kings are slaves, and their people are free.' 'The only thing which can make amends for the slavery of the throne is the pleasure of doing some good.' 'In politics, as in morals, the shortest way to make men happy is to endeavor to make them virtuous.'"

**WOMAN WHO WOULDN'T.**

Idiotic Feminine Pose That Altogether Lacks Sense.

If some women and girls can't be great martyrs and are denied the exalted joy of being burned at the stake or otherwise sacrificed, they do not intend to blush unseen nevertheless. They sit up their own little role of martyrdom and play it to the bitter end—bitter, that is, to those who have to listen to tales of it, for, be it known, the role is milk and honey to whoever plays it.

As a rule, the feminine martyr starts in to do good to some one near and dear to her. So far so good. That surely is something to admire. But the way she goes about it. Perhaps it's a young brother that she's supporting. She assures you she could not earn money for herself; it's only for love of him, and that in face of the fact that she owns no property and hasn't a penny of income. Could anything be sillier or weaker or more puerile? How else would she live?

Another type, better off in worldly goods, declares that she wears pretty clothes only to please her children or her father or her friend. Why apologize? Very likely she does not make herself dangerously lovely, after all. Another enjoys a good table because her husband likes good things to eat. Again, why apologize? As well apologize for being respectable or having a little sense.

This being interesting, or at least in the limelight at all costs, is tiresome.

**Playing Greenhorn.**

"Why did you tell the manager of that employment agency that you had just come over?" said one servant girl to another. "You didn't, you know. You have had three situations in New York."

"I know that," said the girl. "I pretended to be green so she would try harder to get me a good place. At most of these agencies the managers have green girls on their conscience. The sharks in the business, of course, will fleece them, but the average manager is sympathetic and gets them easy places to start with. I'll have a snap where I am going. The woman thinks I have just arrived and that she will have to break me in. Breaking in means that she will do half the work while I will just stand around and look on. It pays sometimes to be a greenhorn."—Philadelphia Ledger.

**Would Take Chances.**

Mr. Philanthropist was passing a bakery when he observed a little girl gazing with longing eyes at some cakes displayed in the window. The rosy-cheeked girl's gaze was too much for Mr. Philanthropist, so he took immediate measures to satisfy her longing.

When she had in short order disposed of a rich bit of pastry she calmly asked for another.

"I should like very much to give you another," said the kindly man, "but I'm afraid it would make you sick."

"Get it for me anyhow," quickly responded the little girl. "I can get all the medicine I need at the dispensary for nuthin'."—New York Herald.

**A Dangerous Place.**

The two tramps had been particularly lucky, and, having funds in hand, they discussed plans for the night's shelter. "We can sleep under a rock if we like," said Wiggins.

"Sure we can," responded Riggs, "but some way these lodging houses make me nervous. Supposing there was to break out in the night?"

"You've got it right," agreed Wiggins, dolefully. "It's no place for us. They'd turn the hose on us in a minute!"—Youth's Companion.

**Cynical.**

A Chicago professor says: "The man who never panics over a can fare who never scans the pronunciation of a menu and who hibernates when he's broke carries an admirable example against common criticism."—Kansas City Star.

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The couple will not take any trip at present, but will reside at the home of the bride's parents.

Both are well known in Charleroi. Mr. Michener is employed at the Tube mills in Monessen. The happy couple are tendered the best wishes of a host of friends.

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### Personal Mention

James Gelder is transacting business today in Pittsburg.

Mrs. S. R. Collins is in Pittsburg today transacting business.

Miss Clara Frye is spending the day in Donora with friends.

Miss Lulu True has returned from Pittsburg where she spent a week with friends.

Mrs. Jennie Jolliffe of Fallowfield avenue has returned from a visit of several days in Fairmont, W. Va., with friends and relatives.

Charles Rodgers of Fallowfield township left yesterday for New Mexico, where he will spend a few weeks, after which he will leave for Alaska, where he will be employed.

W. A. Gilleland of Wilkinsburg is in Charleroi the guest of friends.

Miss Elsie Crill is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Miss Lois Darby is in Pittsburg today visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles H. Wilson, of Fairchance, who is a patient in the West Penn hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Van Voorhis returned today from a stay of several weeks in Orlando, and other points in Florida.

W. G. Sharpnack of Rices Landing was a guest of his brother, S. W. Sharpnack of Washington avenue yesterday going on to Pittsburg today to attend the automobile show.

### THE OLD MASTERS.

How Modern Artists Make a New Painting an Antique.

Europe is full of artists who, as far as line and color go, can turn admirable copies of anything. These copies are made on old canvases, mounted on a framework of old wood, and when the paint is dry the picture is put through an ingenious aging process. A certain kind of varnish gives a ripe golden tone, and deepening of shadows, with a suggestion of the soil of centuries, is had by the smearing of licorice juice. As for the cracked paint surface—sure sign of age—that is obtained by baking the picture carefully in an oven of by laying a plaque of metal on the canvas and striking it gently with a hammer. Worm holes in frame or panels are merely a matter of fine shot fired in and afterward picked out. And fly specks to deceive the flies themselves may be had by the judicious spatter of India ink.

No doubt to the rare connoisseur there is something hard and cold about the copies, something vaguely unsatisfying, but no one can deny that they are enormously like the originals—so much like them that the great museums of Europe, all unsuspecting, have hung their walls with these mellow masterpieces of yesterday. It is said, for instance, that Rembrandt's portrait of Sobieski in the Louvre is not the original at all, but only a copy, the original being in Russia—Cleveland Moffett in Success.

### ANOTHER WORLD.

This Charming Bit of Philosophy Points the Road to It.

I live in two worlds—one in which I must consider the weather and clothes and meals and bills coming due and a host of duties and obligations, some of which weary me. It isn't really a bad world, and I haven't much ground to complain of it. It is comparatively a poor world, however, when set against that other world into which I retire with every opportunity—the glorious, free and perfect world of my imagination. The common world, the world of meals and clothes and weather, I share with everybody. No preference or special consideration is given to me. I often get a kick or a cuff that I despise, even though I know that I earned it. But the other world is all my own. I am its creator, king and master. Nothing happens in it that does not please me; nothing exists without my consent. It revolves around me. I am its sun and center; all else is subordinate. There is no order, system or law in it that gives me the slightest trouble, for I alter, change or abolish these at my pleasure. Of course I escape whenever I can from the common everyday world in which I am so insignificant into the world which is wholly my own.—Orlando Jay Smith.

### Syringe Daring Firemen.

A studious fireman looked up from his book.

"In place of all these here electric engines, automatic chutes and so on," he said, "the only instrument they had to fight fire with in the seventeenth century was the syringe. Under the roof of every building that they thought worth saving—like cathedrals and such—there were big tanks to catch the rainwater, and beside each tank hung a syringe a yard long. Then when a fire came—squirrel, squirrel, they went with their syringes, and the building quickly burned down to the ground."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

### Power of the Will.

"I've just been reading about the power of the will. It's a wonderful thing."

"Yes, I know of a will that makes seven children and thirty-two grandchildren behave."—Fack.

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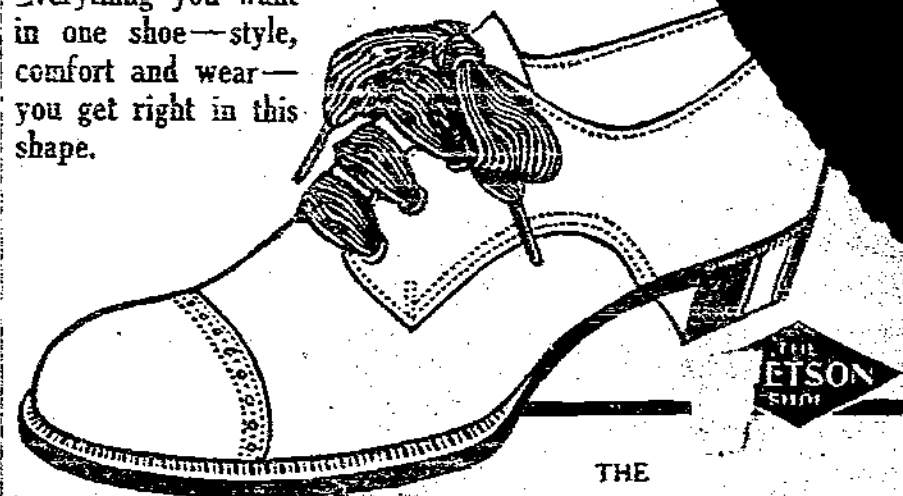
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